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Production for Week Ended:
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Preface

The *Weekly Coal Production (WCP)* provides weekly estimates of U.S. coal production by State. Supplementary data are usually published monthly in two supplements: the Coal Exports and Imports Supplement and the Domestic Market Supplement. The Coal Exports and Imports Supplement contains detailed monthly data on U.S. coal and coke exports and imports. The Domestic Market Supplement contains detailed monthly electric utility coal statistics, by Census Division and State, for generation, consumption, stocks, receipts, sulfur content, prices, and the origin and destination of coal shipments. This supplement also contains summary-level, monthly data for all coal-consuming sectors on a quarterly basis.

Preliminary coal production data are published quarterly, based on production data collected using Form EIA-6, "Coal Distribution Report." Based on 1988 data, the coal production estimation error for a quarter at the national level (i.e., the difference between the sum of the weekly estimates for a quarter and the quarterly EIA-6 preliminary data) ranges from 1 percent to 4 percent.

Final coal production data are published annually, based on the EIA-7A coal production survey. Based

on 1988 data, the revision error for a quarter at the national level (i.e., the difference between the EIA-6 preliminary data and the EIA-7A final data) ranges from 0.02 percent to 0.08 percent.

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Summary

U.S. coal production in the week ended November 3, 1990, as estimated by the Energy Information Administration, totaled 21 million short tons, virtually the same as in the previous week, and slightly more than production in the comparable week in 1989. Production east of the Mississippi River totaled 13 million short tons, and production west of the Mississippi River totaled 8 million short tons.

Coal production in October 1990 totaled 96 million short tons, 13 percent higher than in the previous

month, which included the Labor Day holiday, and 7 percent more than in October 1989.

Coal production in the first 10 months of 1990 totaled 874 million short tons, which was 7 percent more than in the same period in 1989. The output rose by 35 million short tons in the East and 20 million short tons in the West. The largest tonnage increases were in West Virginia and Wyoming.

Figure 1. Coal Production

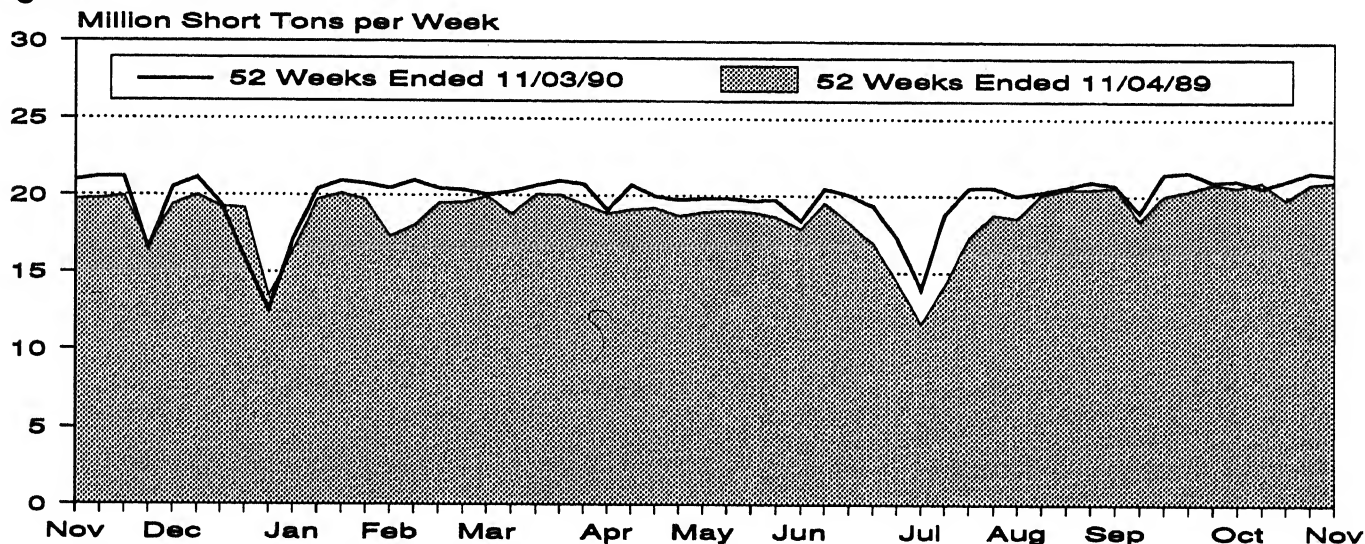


Table 1. Coal Production

	Week Ended			52 Weeks Ended		
Production and Carloadings	11/03/90	10/27/90	11/04/89	11/03/90	11/04/89	Percent Change
Production (Thousand Short Tons)						
Bituminous ¹ and Lignite	21,332	21,497	20,897	1,028,511	976,768	5.3
Pennsylvania Anthracite	84	85	64	3,307	3,383	-2.2
U.S. Total	21,415	21,582	20,962	1,031,818	980,151	5.3
Railroad Cars Loaded	136,474	137,635	134,673	6,654,766	6,386,831	

¹Includes subbituminous coal.

Notes: 1990 data are preliminary. Totals may not equal sum of components due to independent rounding.

Sources: Association of American Railroads, Transportation Division, Weekly Statement CS-54A; Energy Information Administration, Form EIA-6, "Coal Distribution Report"; Form EIA-7A, "Coal Production Report"; and State mining agency coal production reports.

Table 2. Coal Production by State
(Thousand Short Tons)

Region and State	Week Ended		
	11/03/90	10/27/90	11/04/89
Bituminous Coal¹ and Lignite			
East of the Mississippi	12,895	13,247	13,036
Alabama	602	593	662
Illinois	1,147	1,156	1,105
Indiana	907	978	759
Kentucky	3,377	3,403	3,701
Kentucky, Eastern	2,470	2,553	2,730
Kentucky, Western	907	850	971
Maryland	60	63	69
Ohio	729	745	733
Pennsylvania Bituminous	1,590	1,690	1,463
Tennessee	142	140	161
Virginia	992	982	904
West Virginia	3,350	3,497	3,479
West of the Mississippi	8,437	8,250	7,862
Alaska	31	31	44
Arizona	263	264	247
Arkansas	2	2	2
Colorado	408	440	295
Iowa	8	8	7
Kansas	25	25	25
Louisiana	62	76	55
Missouri	62	62	76
Montana	768	718	819
New Mexico	557	532	530
North Dakota	633	592	611
Oklahoma	39	40	34
Texas	1,197	1,205	1,100
Utah	458	503	354
Washington	108	108	108
Wyoming	3,818	3,642	3,553
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¹ Division, Weekly Statement CS-54A; Energy Information
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Table 3. Coal Production by State, October 1990
(Thousand Short Tons)

Region and State	October 1990	September 1990	October 1989	Year to Date		Percent Change
				1990	1989	
Bituminous Coal ¹ and Lignite						
East of the Mississippi	58,032	50,538	55,426	534,162	499,448	7.0
Alabama	2,619	2,252	2,738	24,785	23,223	6.7
Illinois	5,020	4,375	5,326	50,026	49,728	.6
Indiana	3,965	3,275	3,155	32,865	27,955	17.6
Kentucky	15,297	13,272	15,482	142,703	140,707	1.4
Kentucky, Eastern	11,330	9,821	11,375	105,310	105,824	-.5
Kentucky, Western	3,967	3,451	4,107	37,393	34,882	7.2
Maryland	277	237	290	2,752	2,868	-4.1
Ohio	3,248	2,876	3,133	29,765	28,251	5.4
Pennsylvania Bituminous	7,198	6,346	6,367	62,259	56,548	10.1
Tennessee	623	566	655	5,739	5,327	7.7
Virginia	4,378	3,961	3,684	42,492	36,521	16.3
West Virginia	15,407	13,377	14,597	140,777	128,322	9.7
West of the Mississippi	37,671	33,784	34,148	336,904	316,838	6.3
Alaska	139	117	179	1,180	1,245	-5.2
Arizona	1,177	1,029	1,062	9,507	10,028	-5.2
Arkansas	8	11	9	50	53	-6.3
California	-	-	41	13	41	-68.1
Colorado	1,912	1,646	1,495	16,557	13,864	19.4
Iowa	35	31	31	313	373	-16.1
Kansas	113	93	94	813	661	22.9
Louisiana	318	297	303	2,711	2,461	10.2
Missouri	277	253	326	2,404	2,790	-13.8
Montana	3,340	3,002	3,404	31,338	31,152	.6
New Mexico	2,509	2,416	2,104	21,278	19,971	6.5
North Dakota	2,752	2,474	2,538	25,119	24,653	1.9
Oklahoma	176	148	158	1,649	1,441	14.4
Texas	5,365	5,152	4,741	48,384	45,376	6.6
Utah	2,171	1,837	1,748	19,047	16,394	16.2
Washington	483	412	479	4,250	4,204	1.1
Wyoming	16,896	14,866	15,435	152,292	142,129	7.2
Bituminous ¹ and Lignite Total	95,703	84,322	89,574	871,067	816,286	6.7
Pennsylvania Anthracite	354	323	298	2,806	2,843	-1.3
U.S. Total	96,058	84,645	89,873	873,872	819,129	6.7

¹Includes subbituminous coal.

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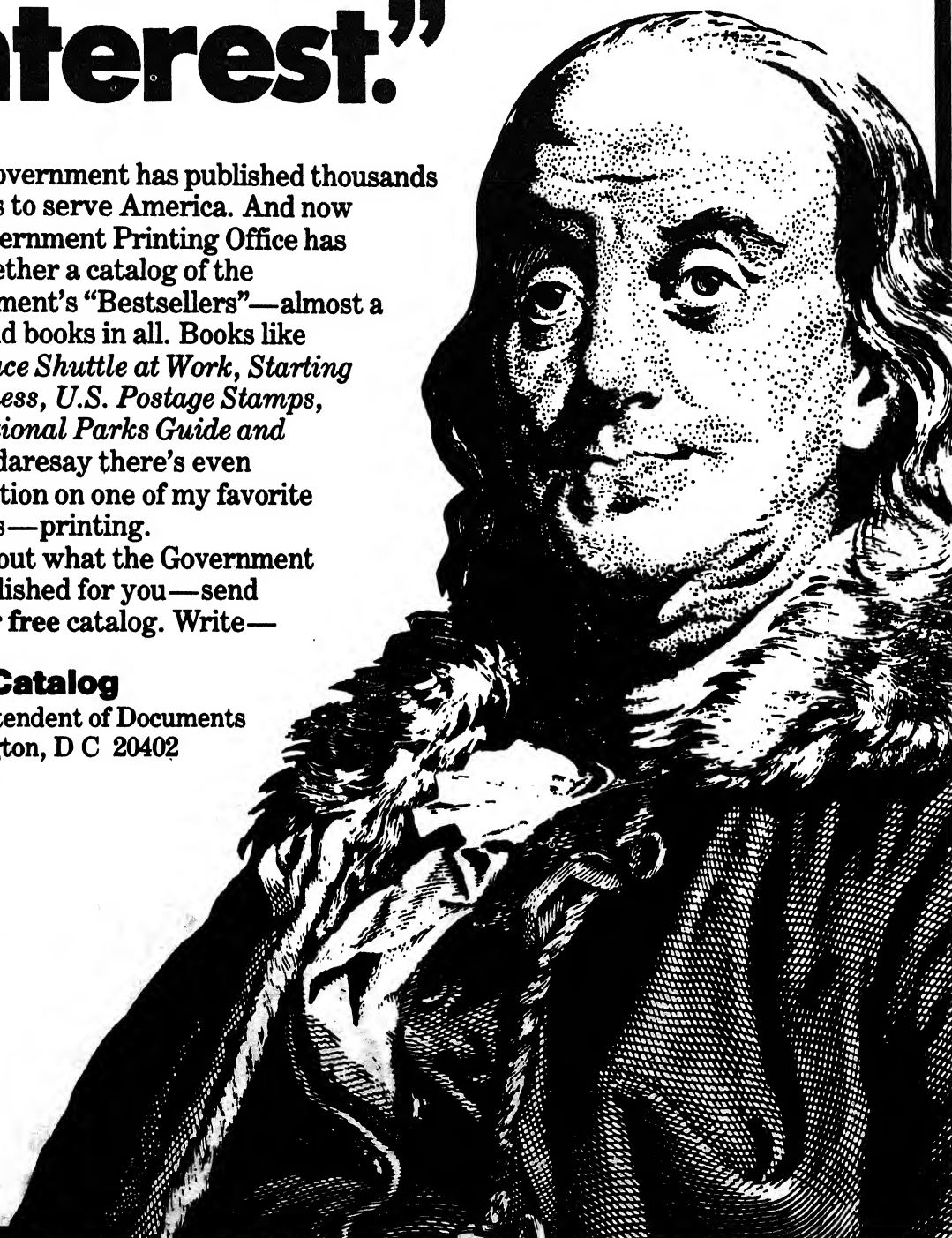
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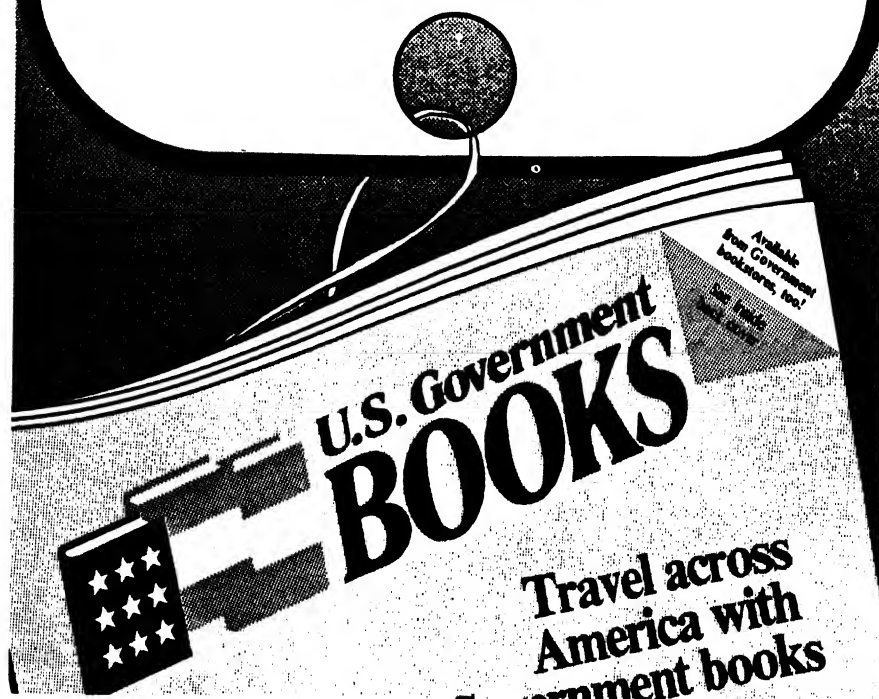
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